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In re Application of:

Zhu et al.

Application No.: 10/769,598

Filed: January 30, 2004

For: Germicidal Compositions
Containing Phenylmalonaldehyde-Type
Compounds, or Mixtures of
Phenylmalonaldehyde-Type Compounds
and Phthalaldehydes, And Methods Of
Using Such Compositions For
Disinfection or Sterilization

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENTS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231-9999

Sir:

Prior to examination of the present RCE application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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